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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of Dinesh Patel, Jeffrey W. Jacobs, Rakesh Jain, Zhi-Jie Ni and Zhengyu Yuan for NOVEL SUCCINATE COMPOUNDS, COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS OF USE AND PREPARATION.

☐ Applicant(s) hereby request(s) that the above-captioned application **NOT BE PUBLISHED** under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

☐ Applicant(s) suggest(s) Figure _ for inclusion on the front page of the patent application publication and patent.

Also enclosed are:

☐ _____ sheet(s) of ☐ formal ☐ informal drawing(s);

☐ a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 is ☐ hereby made to _ filed in _ on _;

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☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.

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Basic Application Fee					\$710.00 (101)
Total Claims	257	MINUS 20 =	237	× \$18.00 (103) =	4,266.00
Independent Claims	1	MINUS 3 =	0	× \$80.00 (102) =	0.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$270.00 (104)					270.00
Total Application Fee					\$5,246.00
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					
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TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE **FEE NOT INCLUDED**					\$5,246.00

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